

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

Please replace the title of the invention with the title as follows :

FLAME-RETARDANT RESIN COMPOSITION, PRODUCTION METHOD OF THE SAME
AND MOLDING METHOD OF THE SAME

Please insert the following new paragraph after the Title and before the first paragraph on page 1:

-- This application is the U.S. National Phase under 35 U.S.C. § 371 of International Application No. PCT/JP2004/013665, filed September 17, 2004, which in turn claims the benefit of Japanese Application No. 2003-329631, filed September 22, 2003 and Japanese Application No. 2004-038212, filed February 16, 2004, the disclosures of which Applications are incorporated by reference herein in their entirety. --

Please replace the paragraph beginning on page 15, line 18 and ending on page 17, line 5 with the following:

The flame-retardant components other than the above-mentioned ones are exemplified below. In the case where the superacid salt is used as the flame-retardant component, potassium fluorobutanesulfonate, potassium fluoromethanesulfonate, sodium fluoromethanesulfonate, sulfonic acid supported on iron oxide, or tungstic acid supported on iron oxide may be used. Further, the flame retardant components of the dehydrogenation catalysts include chromium oxide, copper chrome, copper oxide, iron oxide, lanthanum oxide, manganese oxide,

molybdenum oxide, nickel oxide, a copper-chrome catalyst, palladium oxide, tin pyrophosphate, tantalum oxide, titanium oxide, titanium pyrophosphate, tungsten oxide, zinc pyrophosphate, zirconium pyrophosphate, vanadium oxide, and zinc oxide. In the case where the metal complex is used as the flame retardant component, acetylacetonatoiron, acetylacetonatocobalt, acetylacetonatocopper, iron dimethylthiocarbamate, ferric benzoylacetonate, tris(dibenzoylmethanato)iron, or copper ethylenediaminetetraacetate may be used. As a clay-based flame-retardant component, for example, smectite or montmorillonite may be used. Intumescent flame-retardant components include, for example, a combination of ammonium polyphosphate acid (APP) and penerythritol (PER). In the case where a resin is used as the flame-retardant component, polyphenylene ether (PPE) or polycarbonate (PC) may be used. Other flame-retardant components include, for example, a silicone-based flame retardant such as dimethyl silicone and methyl phenyl silicone, brominated and oxidized aromatic triazine, and a composite flame retardant. It should be noted that a compound other than the compounds exemplified above may be used as long as the compound confers a desired flame retardancy to the resin composition. Further, two or more flame retardants may be used in combination in the resin composition of the present invention. In that case, a proportion of each flame retardant may be selected appropriately depending on the desired flame retardancy.